तदनुसार, गढ़वा, चतरा, बांका गोड्डा और भभुआ जिला मुख्यालयों सहित 29 स्थानों को 1992–94 की चालू एल पी जी वितरण योजना में शामिल किया गया है। तेल चयन बोर्ड के माध्यम से डिस्ट्रीब्यूटरों के चयन का कार्य जारी है ।

Oil Drilling operations in Cochin

2202. SHRI S. AUSTIN: Will ihe Minister of PETROLEUM, AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the oil drilling operations in the Cochin offshore are in progress; and

(b) if so> what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (CAPT. SATISH SHRAMA); (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Supply of Gas to LPG Bottling Plant near Vijayawada

2203. SHRI S. AUSTIN: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased fc> state:

(a) whether Government have formulated a scheme to supply onshore/offshore gas obtained from ONGC operations in the LPG bottling unit near Vijayawada; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MTNISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (CAPT. SAT SHARMA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

News regarding prices of LPG

2204. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of Govern ment has. been drawn; to the news-item captioned "Private sector LPG price is cheaper.. ."appearing in the Tndian Ex press' dated llth July, 1994;

(b) if so, tbe extent to which the Views report is correct;

(c) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to reduce the LPG prices, if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not what are the reason* there-for?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (CAPT. SATIS SHARMA): (a) and (b) The products imported under the Parallel Marketing System can be sold at market determined prices since there is no price control by Govrnment over the products imported under this system.

(c) and (d) There js no such proop-sal under consideration.

Production of the servo Lubricants

2205. SHRI M. A. BABY:

SHRIMATI SARALA MAHESH-WAR!:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased Io state:

(a) what is the production capacity of lubricant brand name SERVO of I0BL, a subsidiary company of Indian Oi! Cor-roration:

(bi what is the capacity utilisation of "SERVO" during the last three years;

(c) what is the market share of IOC for this lubricant;